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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

IN RE: COURT DOCKET \$ MANAGEMENT \$ \$ FOR AUSTIN DIVISION \$

MAGISTRATE REFERRAL ORDER

Under Rule 1 of the Local Rules for the Assignment of Duties to United States Magistrate Judges, Appendix C of the Local Court Rules of the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall refer all civil matters assigned to the Honorable Alan D Albright to a United States Magistrate Judge for the Austin Division, allocated pursuant to the Clerk of the Court's standard procedure, except the following:

- Cases brought under 28 U.S.C. §§ 2241, 2254, and 2255;
- Cases brought by detainees and prisoners under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and *Bivens v. Six Unknown Named Agents of Federal Bureau of Narcotics*, 430 U.S. 388 (1971);
- Cases brought under 35 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. (patent cases);
- Cases designated as "830 Patent" and "835 Patent (ANDA)"; and
- Cases that include *ex parte* applications for temporary restraining orders.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall refer all criminal matters for the Austin Division assigned to the Honorable Alan D Albright to a United States Magistrate Judge for the Austin Division, allocated pursuant to the Clerk of the Court's standard procedure. The matters are referred for disposition of all non-dispositive pretrial matters as provided in 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A) and for findings and recommendations on all case-dispositive motions as provided in 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B).

SIGNED this 27th day of February, 2025.

ALAN D ALBRIGHT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE